

The Times.

AMUSEMENTS OF THE DAY.
 NATIONAL—"Babes in Toyland," 8:15 p.m.
 COLUMBIA—"The Sultan of Sulu," 8:15 p.m.
 LAFAYETTE—Hagenbeck's Animals, 2:15 and 8:15 p.m.
 CHASE'S—Vandeville, 2:15 and 8:15 p.m.
 ACADEMY—"Not Guilty," 8 p.m.
 EMPIRE—"The Limited Mail," 2 and 8 p.m.
 LYCEUM—Sam Devere Company, 2:15 and 8:15 p.m.
 AMERICAN LEAGUE PARK—Baseball, Washington vs. Chicago, 2 and 4 p.m.

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EXCURSIONS.
 Norfolk and Washington steamer for Norfolk and Port Monroe, 6:30 p.m.

TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.
 Advertisements and subscriptions for the Evening and Sunday Times will be received at regular office rates at The Times branch office at Charles H. Blumer's pharmacy, corner North Capitol and R Streets northeast.

Where Huntsmen Bag Their Game.

William Corbett and Parker Wilson had the best luck on the Benning marshes in the past week. Eight hours' shooting netted them twenty ortolan, four snipe and thirty reedbirds. The killing of "reedies" was particularly large as there are now only a few on the marshes. C. Harrison Smith and Harrie White, of Alexandria, went gunning in the marshes in new Alexandria Saturday and bagged a number of reed birds. They report sora as very scarce.

Information for Fishermen

The water at Great Falls continues to clear and today registers 29. At Harpers Ferry the Shenandoah is pretty clear, but the Potomac continues muddy. E. M. Reed, of Alexandria, has just returned from a fishing trip to Woodbridge. He caught a number of bass with hook and line. Precinct Detective Frank Burrows, of the Seventh precinct, and Captain Boardman returned yesterday from a fishing trip to Romney, W. Va., where they went Thursday. They brought with them thirteen large bass. Mr. Burrows, who is regarded as the best authority on fish and fishing in Georgetown, stated this morning, that South Branch, where he and Captain Boardman caught their lines, is as clear as crystal, and in perfect condition for bass fishing.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

Hugh Vernon Campbell, 35, and Annie E. Lewis, 33.
 Maury H. Brown, 24, Louisville, Ky., and Sarah B. Henrich, 25, District of Columbia.
 Joseph M. Frye, 25, District of Columbia, and Agnes E. Fowler, 21, Forestville, Md.
 Joseph R. Rabbitt, Jr., 23, District of Columbia, and Grace DeWall, 19, Warrenton, Va.
 Fritz A. Mueller, 22, and Mary E. Ferguson, 24.
 Clarence S. Mullikin, 25, and Annie H. Davenport, 24.
 Robert H. Scott, 28, and Margie J. Washington, 25.
 Michael J. Quirk, 36, and Lillie M. Mobly, 25.
 R. S. Montague, 23, Norfolk, Va., and F. E. Bargebush, 21, Broadway, Va.
 Charles D. Hudson, 35, and Minnie R. Gaine, 21.
 Hugh C. Mitchell, 26, Edna, Tex., and Agnes Veronica Marr, 25, District of Columbia.
 Grey H. White, 24, and Ira J. Martin, 21.
 George A. Burdette, 24, and Gertrude H. Kent, 22.

DEATH RECORD.

The following deaths have been reported to the Health Office for the forty-eight hours ending at noon today:
 Douglass Miller, 69 years.
 William T. Richardson, 68 years.
 Charlotte Redding, 67 years.
 Mary L. Simpson, 65 years.
 Henry H. Bainbridge, 64 years.
 Lucious J. Commodore, 60 years.
 Daniel C. Brown, 55 years.
 Elizabeth Fields, 50 years.
 James T. Kennedy, 45 years.
 Richard M. Lacy, 41 years.
 William H. Minor, 35 years.
 Mary C. Fowers, 33 years.
 Thomas Johnson, 25 years.
 Benjamin F. Sorrell, 25 years.
 Isabelle Hillary, 8 years.
 Cornea Reider, 2 years.
 Alice Young, 10 months.

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SHORT IN ACCOUNTS

CLERK DISAPPEARS

Relatives Made Good Missing Funds of \$800.

James Beatty, a Treasury Department clerk, serving as assistant to the disbursing clerk in the office of Auditor for the War Department, has been found over \$800 short in his accounts and has been dismissed. Relatives of Beatty made good the shortage within thirty hours after it was discovered, September 16, by Disbursing Clerk Henry C. Swan. The whereabouts of Beatty are not known. His landlady alleges he is indebted to her for a bill of \$200.

It was while Mr. Swan was taking his vacation in August that the money disappeared. When Mr. Swan left he turned the funds over to his assistant and took a receipt. The money was put in the safe, where Beatty was responsible for it. As the assistant had been repeatedly trusted in important matters, nothing further was thought of it.

When Mr. Swan returned, September 15, and checked over the accounts, he found a shortage of \$817.30. Beatty was not in the office at the time, having gone home on a plea of sickness, but a friend of his enlightened Mr. Swan as to the facts. This friend and another, whose names are withheld, made up the shortage. It is said an uncle in Illinois forwarded the amount of the shortage to Beatty's friends by telegram.

Beatty has not been at the department since, nor at his boarding house, 1949 Fifteenth Street, since September 13. He is forty-five years old and formerly lived at Mattoon, Ill.

ONE BUILDER ENOUGH FOR NEW UNION STATION

Directors of Pennsylvania Railway Satisfied on That Point.

Information has been received by The Times and by James L. Parsons, well known as a local contractor and builder, that no apprehension exists at the office of the Pennsylvania Railroad Company, lost Mr. Parsons be unequal to constructing the new Union Station if given the contract. The Times, it will be remembered, asserted that some of the directors thought the construction of so large a building beyond the means of any single contractor. Its information was obtained from an officer of the Pennsylvania Railroad Company in an exceptionally advantageous position to know the facts. Subsequent disclosures indicated, however, as was set forth in The Times of Sunday, that this official had been misinformed.

INJURED BY FALL DOWN STAIRS.

As a result of falling down the stairs at his home, 3403 O Street, Georgetown, yesterday, John Denton, thirty years old, was a patient at the Georgetown University Hospital. After treating him for several severe lacerations of the face the physicians discharged him from the institution.

SECOND VICTIM OF DYNAMITE.

Floyd James, a negro, who, with Frank Bryant, was blown up in an explosion of dynamite because of a badly-judged blasting fuse at Manassas Junction on September 17, died yesterday in the Emergency Hospital. Bryant, as a result of his injuries, died at the same institution about two weeks ago.

Pennsylvania Railroad Will Sell Special Tickets for Marlboro Fair.

On September 28, 29, 30, and October 1, special excursion tickets will be sold at stations on Pennsylvania Railroad from Baltimore to Washington, inclusive, and from points on the Pope's Creek Branch, to Marlboro, Md., good to return until October 2, for persons wishing to attend the Southern Maryland Fair.



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MILLIONS PAID OUT

IN INCREASED WAGES

Surprising Figures Issued Concerning Railroads.

To the person who is unfamiliar with the expense of operating railroads there seems to be no valid reason why employees should not be paid a few more dollars a week when they ask for a raise and for shorter hours, as they have on nearly all of the lines having terminals in Washington, including the Baltimore and Ohio, which is now discussing the matter with the leaders of the unions. To the officers of the railroads, however, a very good reason exists, and this is the expense.

When a few dollars are paid weekly or monthly to an army of men, the total is surprising. Some figures were given out yesterday concerning the amount the Reading is now paying out as a result of its recent liberality, when nearly all of the employees were given a raise of about 15 per cent per month. This increase amounts to over \$750,000 a year. It is said that should the Baltimore and Ohio grant all of the increases asked the amount is going to be above this figure.

More than a score of the largest railroad systems in the country in the last six months have granted increases in wages, and at the Interstate Commerce Commission offices it was said that the railroads are today paying out in round numbers \$14,000,000 more annually than they were two years ago.

Dispatches have been received by the Interstate Commerce Commission announcing that the latest railroad to raise wages is the Chicago and Northwestern, which has granted an increase of 20 per cent to the employees in the locomotive repair shops of the system.

This increase means that the railroad is to pay out annually \$300,000. The increase was granted on the demands of the union in the shops after a series of conferences with the officers. The officers also conceded the demand for the recognition of the union.

RAILROAD VICTIM BURIED.

The funeral of George W. Keyser, the deaf-mute killed on the railroad tracks at Benning, was held this morning from All Saints Protestant Episcopal Chapel. The Rev. Mr. Deyersack, officiated at the services.

The body was interred at the chapel burying grounds. The pallbearers were H. S. Edington, William Lowell, Fred Harrison, Simon Munheim, Harry Carr and John Flood.

BARN BURNED IN SUBURBS.

Fire last night destroyed a barn owned by Andrew Dorr, at Nineteenth Street and Benning Road northeast, and valued at \$800. The barn was located more than half a mile from any fire plug, and although Engine Companies 8 and 10 responded quickly to an alarm from box 629, great difficulty was experienced in getting a stream of water on the fire. Two engines finally succeeded, but not in time to save the barn from destruction. The structure was not insured.

THE NEW MAINE ARRIVES.

The battleship Maine arrived yesterday at Port Monroe, Va., after a record trip from Cape May to the Virginia capes. The Maine will engage in gunnery practice for a short time, but will return to Hampton Roads before starting South to engage in the winter maneuvers off Cuba.

\$99.70 to San Francisco, Cal.

And return, via Baltimore and Ohio Railroad, October 7 to 16, valid for return until November 30. American Bankers' Association convention. Full information at Baltimore and Ohio offices.

SPIRITUALISTS MEET

IN CONVENTION HERE

Great Gathering in Washington From All Parts of Country.

Great preparations are in progress by the members of the National Spiritualists' Association of the United States and Canada, for their eleventh annual convention, to be held in Washington, October 29, 31, 22, and 23. From the association's headquarters here much printed matter concerning the convention has been sent out, and returns to date indicate that about 500 delegates, representing almost all the many branches, will attend the convention.

The headquarters of the delegates will be at the Hotel Regent. The business sessions will be held there daily at 10 a. m. and 2 p. m. Each evening, at 7:30, public demonstrations of the work of the association will be given. On Monday evening, preceding the first day of the convention, a grand reception will be held at the hotel, and all delegates and officers in the city at the time will be entertained.

The official program will not be made up until October 18. Several important business matters are to be transacted, and with routine matter and chapter reports it is said the time of the convention will be fully taken up. Among the gifted lecturers and mediums expected to be present and participate in the convention are Dr. N. F. Ravlin, Mrs. H. P. Resegue, J. J. Moree, of England; May S. Pepper, Margaret Gault, Mrs. Z. B. Kates, Mrs. G. G. Cooley, and many others yet to be engaged.

The officers of the national association are: President, Harrison D. Barrett, of Boston; vice president, the Hon. Thomas Locke, Philadelphia; secretary, Mrs. Mary T. Longley of Washington, and treasurer, Theodore J. Mayer, of Washington.

LITERARY ASSOCIATION'S WORK.

The Carroll Institute Literary Association will resume its semi-annual sessions tomorrow evening at 8 o'clock, at Carroll Institute. The Rev. Charles Warren Currier will address the meeting, and a most enjoyable evening is anticipated.

THE NEWS OF GEORGETOWN

BABY DRANK POISON.

Annie Pennfield, the two-year-old daughter of Levi Pennfield, of 3895 M Street northwest, yesterday afternoon about 5 o'clock was playing with a bottle containing carbolic acid, when she removed the stopper and drank of the contents. The child was taken to the Georgetown University Hospital, where the physicians, worked upon her until midnight before she was pronounced out of danger. Her face and mouth were very badly burned by the acid.

FUNERAL OF ACCIDENT VICTIM.

The funeral of John Hoelmann, the seven-year-old son of Louis H. Hoelmann, of 1400 Twenty-eighth Street northwest, killed Saturday morning by being crushed beneath the wheels of a dirt car, took place this afternoon at 3 o'clock from his father's home. The services were attended only by the immediate relatives. The interment was at Prospect Hill Cemetery.

FUNERAL OF MISS ALICE EVANS.

The funeral of Miss Alice Evans, who died at her home, 3415 P Street northwest, Saturday morning, will take place tomorrow morning. High requiem mass will be celebrated at Trinity Catholic Church over the remains.

POLICEMAN SHOTS

MAD DOG IN A PARK

Frothing Canine Scared All But the Bluecoat.

A mild panic was created near the Smithsonian Institution yesterday morning by cries of "mad dog" by several persons who saw a canine with lowered head and frothing mouth charging down through walks and driveways. The animal was a small fox terrier and yelped incessantly as he dashed through the park, butting his head against almost every tree in his path.

Policeman Edward Murphy, standing at the northwest end of the Smithsonian Park, saw the animal finishing his run through the grounds, and struck it on the head with his club. He felled it to the ground and afterward sent two bullets from his revolver into its head.

FINE MUSICAL SMOKER AT POTOMAC BOATHOUSE

The smoker and entertainment committee of the Potomac Boathouse held the first of a series of musical smokers Friday evening, assisted by the Potomac Boat Club Glee Association, and the excellent program and decided success of the first event assures the committee of a substantial appreciation of their efforts. The following program was well executed:

Mandolin solos—"Cavatina," Raffi, "Hungarian Dance," Brahms, William Ed. Todd, Jr.; tenor solos—"Farewell to the King's Highway," De Koven, "The Bold Dragon," De Koven, "If I But Knew," Smith, Joseph Battle; piano solos—"Erl King," Schubert-Liszt, "Melody in F," Rubinstein, Robert Potwin; piano and voice quartet—"Annie Laurie," Buck, "Heldberg Stein Song," "Greenwood Song," De Koven-Todd, "P. B. C. Song," Todd, Messrs. Todd, Amis, La Gore, and Blue; vocal solo—"A Few Knocks," John La Gore; vocal solo—"Her Answer," L. F. Eberbach; violin solo—"A Serenade," Pieme, "Intermezzo," Mascagni, T. B. Amis, Jr.; piano solo—"The Charge of the Brave," "Original Rags," Platt, Frank Platt; recitations—"Trouble in Conville," "Inebriations," Fred O'Connell.

The smoker adjourned with a supper served in the shell room. The committee in charge were: J. A. La Gore, chairman; F. L. Blue, L. F. Eberbach, O. L. Whipple, and W. B. Whipple.

TAKEN ILL ON STREET.

Howard Thompson, aged twenty-five years, was seized with a fit Saturday evening while at the corner of Thirty-fifth and T Streets northwest. He was taken to his home, 2015 Thirty-fifth Street northwest.

THROWN FROM CARRIAGE.

George Thompson, of 1713 Third Street northwest, was thrown from a carriage yesterday afternoon on M Street, near Thirty-third, and rendered unconscious. About fifteen minutes later he regained consciousness and was able to drive to his home.

TO REMODEL COTTAGE.

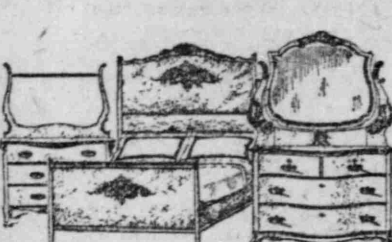
Edgar S. Kennedy, who recently purchased the Dumbarton Avenue frontage of the Boggs tract from Clarence Norment, was granted a permit Saturday to remodel the old Boggs cottage. The improvements will cost \$2,000.

\$1.00 to Harper's Ferry and Martinsburg; \$2.00 to Cumberland and Return.

Leaving Washington 8:05 a.m. Sunday, October 4. Stopping at principal Metropolitan Branch points en route. Returning, leave Cumberland 6, Martinsburg 8, and Harper's Ferry 8:40 p.m. same day.

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\$39.75

A good substantial solid oak Suite well made and finished, with good size mirror in dresser.

\$15.75

This polished imitation mahogany Music Cabinet, very pretty.

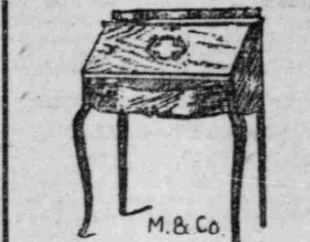
\$6.25

A fine quarter sawed oak or mahogany finished Morris Chair, polished frame with reversible velvet cushions. A \$13 value

\$9.75

This very heavy 6-foot Dining-room Table, a bargain.

\$7.25



A pretty solid oak Lady's Desk with French legs and nicely finished.

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